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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Kenneth Kiron et al. )

Application No.: 09/579,801 )

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For: "Open End Mutual Fund )  
Securitization Process" )

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PETITION FOR SUSPENSION OF PROSECUTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(b)

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(b), Applicants respectfully submit this Petition for the suspension of action in this Application. Applicants have filed this Petition with the filing of a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d).

Applicants request a suspension of action for a time period of 3 months.

The petition fee in the amount of \$130.00, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i), is included in the \$584.00 check enclosed herewith. You are hereby authorized to debit or credit our Account No. 23-0280 for any payment deficiencies or overpayments only with regard to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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